PETRO-CHEMICALS IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) to (d) The criteria adopted by the Kelkar Committee for identifying the drugs to be included in Category II and the reasons for inclusion of various drugs in Category II are contained in the report of the Committee copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

**Late Supply of LPG**

2395. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in a number of cities the ordinary customers of cooking gas have to wait for weeks for getting the supply of gas and this causes considerable inconvenience to them; and

(b) what steps Government propose to take to remove this inconvenience of customers and ensure a regular supply of cooking gas to them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): (a) A backlog in supply of LPG refills has developed in recent months in several parts of the country on account of overall shortfall in the bulk availability of LPG, apart from movement, industrial relations and other operational problems.

(b) Efforts are being made to maximise LPG production in the refineries and also augment supplies through imports to the extent feasible. The situation is being closely monitored by the oil industry with a view to ensuring regular LPG supplies and quality of service to the consumers.

12.00 NOON

**PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE**

**I. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Maruti Udyog Limited, New Delhi and related papers**

**II. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Bharat Pumps and Compressors Limited, Naini (Allahabad) and related papers**

**III. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Bharat Heavy Plate and Vessels Limited, Visakhapatnam and related papers.**

**IV. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the National Newsprint and paper Mills Limited, Nepanagar and related papers.**

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

I. (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Maruti Udyog Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comment of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5078/87 for (a) and (b)].

II. (a) Seventeenth Annual Report and Accounts of the Bharat Pumps and Compressors Limited, Naini (Allahabad), for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5135/87 for (a) and (b)].

III. (a) Twenty-first Annual Report and Accounts of the Bharat Heavy

Plate and Vessels Limited, Visakhapatnam, for the year 1986-87, together the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5136|87 for (a) and (b)].

IV. (a) Fortieth Annual Report and Accounts of the National Newsprint and Paper Mills Limited, Nepanagar, for the year 1986-87, together with Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5134|87 for (a) and (b)].

I. Report and Accounts, (1986-87) of the Engineers India Limited, New Delhi and related papers

II. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Bombay and related papers

III. Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Oil India Limited, Duliajan (Assam) and related papers

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

I. (a) Twenty-second Annual Report and Accounts of Engineers India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the Company.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5139|87for (a) and (b)].

II. (a) Twenty-eighth Annual Report and Accounts of the Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Bombay, for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the Corporation.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5140|87 for (a) and (b)].

III. (a) Twenty-eighth Annual Report and Accounts of the Oil India Limited, Duliajan (Assam), for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the Company.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5141|87 for (a) and (b)].

**Oil and Natural Gas Commission Travelling Allowance) Amendment Regulations 1985**

SHRI BRAHM DUTT: Sir, I also beg to lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Oil and Natural Gas Commission, Notification No. 17(49)/83-Reg., dated the 27 July, 1985; publishing the Oil and Natural Gas Commission. (Travelling Allowance) Amendment Regulations 1985, under section 32 of the Oil and Natural Gas Commission Act, 1959, together with a statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the notification. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-5138|87].

**Notification of the Ministry of Industries (Department of Industries Development)**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF